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In re application of: Motomiya Examiner: Brian P. Egan Serial No.: 10/037,587 Group Art Unit: 1772 Filed: October 23, 2001 For: RELEASE SHEET WITH PRINTED LAYER, PRESSURE SENSITIVE ADHESIVE LABEL HAVING THE PRINTED LAYER, AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE PRESSURE SENSITIVE ADHESIVE LABEL USING THERMAL TRANSFER **PRINTING** 

## **REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (37 CFR § 1.114)**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Mail Stop RCE Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Applicant requests continued examination under 37 CFR § 1.114.

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